# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# POWER
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3982
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BIFURCATION OF STATE ELECTRICITY BOARDS
ASHOK NAMDEORAO MOHOL

**Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government are considering to introduce a Bill on bifurcation of State Electricity Boards to achieve functional autonomy;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the time by which the Bill is likely to be introduced;

(d) whether some State Governments have already bifurcated their electricity boards; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

## Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER ( SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA )

(a) to (c): Yes, Sir.

(d) to (e): The States of Orissa, Haryana, Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan have unbundled/corporatised their SEBs. Distribution in Orissa has been fully privatised.